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July 14, 1859.-tf

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Altoona, August 4, 1859.—tf

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Altoona, Nov. 17th, 1859.

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Altoona, Sept. 30, 1858.—tf

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The best of references can be given if required.
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J. G. ADLUM, Notary Public.
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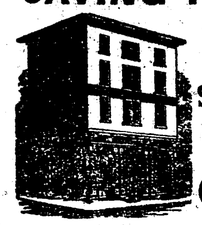

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J. C. SIMMS, *Sec'y.* [Oct. 27th, 1859-1y.

BLAIR COUNTY INSURANCE AGENCY.—The undersigned, Agent of the Blair County Mutual Fire Insurance Company, is at all times ready to insure against loss or damage by fire, *Buildings, Merchandise, Furniture and Property,* of every description, in town or country, at as reasonable rates as any Company in the State. Office with Bell, Johnston, Jack & Co. D. T. CALDWELL, *Agent.*
Jan. 27, '59-tf

LYCOMING COUNTY MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE AGENCY.—The undersigned, agent of the Lycoming Mutual Fire Insurance Company, is at all times ready to insure against loss or damage by fire, *Buildings, Merchandise, Furniture and Property* of every description, in town or country, at as reasonable rates as any company in the State. Office in the Masonic Temple.
Jan. 3, '56-tf] JOHN SHOEMAKER, *Agent.*

GREAT WESTERN INSURANCE AND TRUST COMPANY.—Insurance on Real or personal property will be effected on the most reasonable terms by their agents in Altoona at his office in Anna St.
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Jan. 2, '56-tf.] J. SHOEMAKER.

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BLANKS OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS neatly and expediciously executed at this office.

Select Poetry.

The following exquisite lines were found in the Louisville *Journal*, and are anonymous. The editor says:—"We defy our tasteful lovers of poetry to read them without exclaiming—"How beautiful!"

My soul thy secret image keeps,
My midnight dreams are all of thee!
For nature then in silence sleeps,
And silence broods o'er land and sea;
Oh, in that still, mysterious hour,
How oft from waking dreams I start,
To find thee but a fancy flower.
Thou cherished idol of my heart,
Thou hast each dream and thought of mine;
Have I in turn one thought of thine?

Forever thine my dreams shall be,
Whate'er may be my fortunes here;
I ask not love—I claim from thee
One only boon—a gentle tear;
May o'er bleat visions from above
Play gently round thy happy heart,
And the sweet beams of peace and love
Ne'er from thy heart depart.
Farewell! my dreams are still of thee—
Hast thou one tender thought of me?

My joys like summer birds may fly,
My hopes like summer blooms depart,
But there's one flower that cannot die,
Thy holy memory in my heart;
No dews that one flower's cup may fill,
No sunshine to its leaves be given,
But it will live and flourish still,
As deathless as a thing of heaven.
My soul greets thine, unasked, unsought,
Hast thou for me one gentle thought?

Farewell! farewell! my far-off friend!
Between us broad, blue rivers flow,
And forests wave, and plains extend,
And mountains in the sunlight glow;
The wind that now breathes on thy brow
Is not the wind that breathes on mine;
The stars beams shining on thee now,
Are not the beams that on me shine;
But memory's spell is with me yet—
Canst thou the holy past forget?

The bitter tears that thou and I
May shed where'er by anguish bowed,
Exalted in the mountide sky,
May meet and mingle in the cloud;
And thus, my much loved friend, though we
Far, far apart must live and move,
Our souls, when God shall set them free,
Can mingle in the world of love!
This were an ecstasy to me—
Say, would it be a joy to thee?

THE STAR AND THE CLOUD.

BY J. H. HEWITT.

"Stand out of my way," said a little star
To a cloud that was bound on its way;
"I cannot be seen by the planet afar,
If you thus obscure my pure ray."

"Pooh, pooh!" said the cloud, "there are thousands like you
Who imagine they stand all alone;
I like to swell out in this ocean of blue,
And not be confined to a zone."

"But you cast a shadow," half vexed, the star said;
"And darken the beautiful earth;
While gladness accompanies the rays that I shed,
And the sparkling waves dance in their mirth."

"Vain thing!" spake the cloud with a thundering voice
"You are only a twinkling spark;
My tears make the fields and the flowers rejoice,
While my folds put old Sol in the dark.

"One flash of my fire will illumine the sea,
My thunders the firm mountains shake;
And thousands, like you, are now winking at me,
And peeping at river and lake."

This clarion speech made the little star pale,
And, trembling she shrunk into space;
While the cloud melted fast on the wings of the gale,
And the blue sky was left in its place.

This moral is this: Some folks make a swell,
And put real merit aside;
Inflated with vapor, they toll their own knell,
And burst from an o'ercharge of pride.
—*Richmond Enquirer.*

Select Miscellany.

Prenticeana.

A Mr. Archer has been sent to the Ohio penitentiary for marrying three wives. "Insatiate Archer! could not one suffice?"

The editor of a western paper recently fancied himself "a live ox;" but since our rough handling of him, he is beginning to conclude that he is only *jerked beef.*

The "Sourthern Mercury" says that Mr. P. O. Thomas "has received the commission as Postmaster." So there's a post-office gone to P. O. T.

A Pittsburg paper says, in an obituary notice of an old lady, that "she bore her husband twenty children and never gave him a cross word." She must have obeyed the good old precept—"*bear and forebear.*"

A Newbern paper says that Mrs. Alice Day of that city was lately delivered of four sturdy boys. We know not what a Day may bring forth.

A Buffalo paper announces that Dr. Brandreth has introduced a *bill* into the Legislature. Is the editor sure he minded his *p's* in his announcement?

The editor of the Boston "Liberator" calls upon the ladies of the North to make use of nothing that is produced by slave labor. He needn't expect them not to use cotton. They will not *expel so old a friend from their bosoms.*

Messrs. Bell & Topp, of the "N. C. Gazette," says that "Pentices are made to serve masters." Well, Bells were made to be hung and Topps to be whipped.

The editor of an Indiana paper says, "*more villainy is on foot.*" We suppose the editor has lost his horse.

A lady correspondent, who professes to be horrified at the indelicacy of our paper, threatens for the future to set her foot on every copy she sees. She had better not Our paper has *i's* in it.

The common opinion is that we should take good care of children at all seasons of the year, but it is well enough in winter to *let them slide.*

A writer in a Virginia paper devotes three columns to describing the great Blue Ridge Tunnel. We hardly know which is the greatest bore, the tunnel or the description of it.

W. H. Hooe, a postmaster in Vermont, publishes that two hundred dollars of the public funds are missing from his office, and he asks "*who* has got the money?" Possibly echo may answer—*Hooe.*

A party of our friends, last week chased a fox thirty-six hours. They actually "ran the thing into the ground."

The New York "Evening Post" says a man "cannot be active and quiescent at the same time." There may be some doubt of that. Some fellows bustle about terribly and *yet lie still.*

Mrs. Charity Pekins, of New Orleans, came near dying of poison a few days ago. A *sister of Charity* was suspected of having administered the dose.

A. K. says that he expects to be able in a short time to pay everything that he owes in this world. Ay, but there's a heavy debt that he has got to settle in the other world. *There'll be the devil to pay.*

Mr. Z. Round, an old and valuable friend of our, was recently elected magistrate in Wisconsin. That, we suppose, is what our Wisconsin friends consider *squirring a circle.*

A Rocky Mountain correspondent of the "New York Post," who writes himself "Henry E. Land," describes Oregon as the most delightful country in the world. Our citzens, if they choose, can go out there and see "*how the Land lies.*"

We were considerably amused by an account that we lately saw of a remarkable duel. There were six *men* on the ground and six *misses.*

A Mr. J. Black, declares for dissolution of the Union. Let him have a traitor's reward:

"Hung be the heaven's with *Black.*"

The Ohio River is getting lower and lower every day. It has almost ceased to run. All who look at it can at once perceive that it exhibits very little speed, but *a great deal of bottom.*

A young widow has established a pistol gallery in New Orleans. Her qualifications as a teacher of the art of duelling are of course undoubted; she has *killed her man.*

A New England writer says that it has been found that negroes can be better trusted than white men, not to betray secrets. We suppose that this is upon the principle that they always "*keep dark.*"

Mrs. Lucy Hill complains, in an Arkansas paper, that her nephew has trampled upon her rights and feelings. The graceless young rascal shouldn't be allowed to trample upon his *dunt-Hill.*

A Canadian paper mentions the marriage of Mr. Joseph *Sterling* to Miss Anne *Stirling.* Love strokes are not usually severe, but this one, it is plain, has knocked an *i* out.

A woman in Florida, named Cross, lately gave birth to an infant son which weighed only one pound. That Cross wasn't hard to bear.

Two men, Joseph Sparks and Oscar Flint, were assailed in the suburbs of Baltimore, a few nights ago, by a gang of shoulder-hitters. Flint was knocked down, but his companion escaped by flight. When the scoundrels hit Flint *Sparks flew.*

Mr. William Hood was robbed near Corinth, Ala., on the 13th inst. The Corinth paper says that the name of the highwayman is unknown, but there is no doubt that he was Robbin' Hood.

A Mr. Bentley has beem indicted in Alabama for striking a stranger with an axe. He says that he didn't *know* but that the stranger was a robber. He didn't know, and so he axed him.

A quizzical editor in Arkansas, who rejoices in the rather quizzical name of Harry Hurry, says that "truth is generally slow in its progress." Probably it is never in such a Hurry as he.

A young lady of New Orleans, who recently performed a remarkable feat in rowing, has been presented with a beautiful yawl. A *Smack* would have been more appropriate.

A man in our State, who attempted to hug a beautiful young woman, Miss Lemon, has sued her for striking him in the eye. Why should a fellow squeeze a Lemon unless he wants a punch?

The "Beaver Argus" records the marriage of John Coburn, only three feet high. No wonder he wanted to get *spliced.*

Mr. Henry A. Rhule says, in a Mississippi paper, that he has "worked zealously for the administration." Now let him turn and work faithfully against it. 'Tis a poor Rhule that won't work both ways.

Mr. and Mrs. Brewer, of Wayne County, have twenty-two children. Theirs is, perhaps, the most extensive brewery in the West.

Mr. J. S. Fall, a Mississippi editor, asks when we shall get wise. Undoubtedly *before Fall,* if ever.

A man named J. S. Bill has set up a shaving shop in one of our western cities. We know him of old. Whenever he takes off his beard, he shaves a bad Bill.

An impudent anonymous correspondent signing himself "Ned Bucket," expresses the wish that we were dead. Very well—let him show himself in person, and we pledge ourselves to "*kick the Bucket.*"

A Southern lady has abandoned the Shaker establishment near Hopkinsville, to marry Mr. James Bean, aged seventy-five. She must be fond of dried beans.

A handsome young fellow in New York, in great distress for want of money, married last week a rich old woman of seventy. He was no doubt miserable for the want of money, and she for want of a husband; and "misery makes strange bedfellows."

A father and son, Anthony and Thomas Screw, escaped on the 25th ult., from the Wetumpka jail. There are two Screws loose.

A lady in Montreal on the 1st, recovered $2,000 of a Maj. Breckford for hugging and kissing her rather roughly. She ought to set a high value on the money, she got it *by a tight squeeze.*

The above are from the new work by the editor of the "Louisville Journal," entitled PRENTICEANA, *just published, and which will be sent, postpaid, on receipt of One Dollar, by* DERBY & JACKSON, *Publishers, New York.*

☞ How evident that *men* make all the *proverbs!* See how hard upon *woman* are a few of the most common:—

"A rich man is never ugly in the eyes of a girl."

"A beautiful woman smiling bespeaks a purse weeping."

"Every woman would rather be handsome than good."

"A house-full of daughters is a cellar full of sour beer."

"Three daughters and a mother, four devils for the father."

"A man of straw is worth a woman of gold."

"Alas, father! another daughter is born unto you!" (is a Spanish exclamation of condolence.)

"A rich wife is a source of quarrel."

"It is an ill house where the hen is the talking bird."

"He who marries ill is very long in becoming widowed."

"A rich widow weeps with one eye and laughs with the other."

"A happy couple is a husband deaf and a wife blind."

"Woman's tears are a fountain of craft."

AN EXTINGUISHER.—Dr. X. attended a masquerade ball. In the motley and happy throng he falls in with a fair pilgrim in black silk, whose charming person, snow-white neck, and bewitchingly coquettish airs awaken in his soul the most rapturous love. She casts upon him looks of the most languishing tenderness, he revels in the hope of having made a blissful conquest. He musters up his courage, and ventures to address her:—

"Who art thou, lovely mask?" asks the doctor almost melted in the glow of love.

"Is it possible you don't know me, doctor?"

"Upon my honor I do not know thee."

"Bethink yourself, dear doctor."

"Ah! thou art surely the gracious fairy who has appeared to me to-day for the fourth time, to open to me the gates of bliss."

"You mistake, doctor; I am no fairy."

"Ah! who art thou, then?"

"I am the well-known lady to whom you have now these nine weeks been indebted in the sum of two dollars and seven shillings for washing and ironing."

The doctor stood like a petrified herring.

☞ Washington, visiting a lady in his neighborhood, on leaving the house, a little girl was directed to open the door. He turned to the child and said, "I am sorry, my little dear, to give you so much trouble." "I wish sir," she replied, "it was to let you in."

☞ Very touching and beautiful were the words of the old schoolmaster, as life passed away. "It is growing dark—the school may be dismissed." Down to the very gate of an unseen world he carried his love and regard for the children whom he had trained.

The lash that a man does not object to having laid on his shoulders, is the eyelash of a pretty girl.

Odds and Ends.

Belles call young gentlemen to church more frequently than *Bells* do.

Drunken frolics over the whiskey bottle are now called *rye* otous proceedings.

It is from inability to discover what they ought to do, that men err in practice.

Why is a partner in a firm like a ploughman? Because he is a share-holder.

"You're a queer chicken," as the hen said when she hatched out a duck.

The following is an instance of beginning life with a *small capital*—L-I-F-E."

"I am losing flesh," as the butcher remarked when his cart was robbed.

"Keep your jaw to yourself," as the Philistines said to Sampson.

As big as you are, I always keep ahead of you, as the forewheels said to the hind ones.

"I must punish you, child, because I love you." "Oh, dear! pa—I'd rather you would hate me and let me alone."

Hope is like a rock in a hot climate—the shadow is worth more than the substance.

Fame is like an elf—rather hard to catch and a good deal harder to hold.

Why are globes used in schools like a man who supposes every one to be honest? They are a superficial view of the world.

Is there a word in the English language that contains all the vowels? There is *unquestionably.*

"This is a sweeping catastrophe," as the man said when his wife knocked him down with a broom.

An Irishman writing a sketch of his life, says he early ran away from his father because he was only his uncle!

"God," said Fuller in his quaint way, "might have made a better fruit than a strawberry—but certainly he never did.

The clergy live by our sins, the doctor by our diseases, and the lawyers by our follies. What do printers live on—echo answers—*what?*

It has been demonstrated that each fibre in the eye, or expanded optic nerve, cannot exceed the size of the 328,000th part of a hair.

"What makes all these apothecary shops have stone floors?" said Billy to Sam, as they stood at the counter.

"Don't you know, Billy? It's so that if a feller drops his bottle, he'll be sure to break it."

"Why," said a lover to his mistress, are you like that hinge?" "Can't even guess." "Because you are something to a door." (adore). She cut his acquaintance immediately, which, we surmise, considerably unhinged him.

Mrs. Partington addressed Isaac, while eating a dish of strawberries, thus: "How grand you are growing; by and by you will want to board at the Brevier House, live on umbrella ice-cream. You mustn't be so glutinous, my dear; I don't like to see a little boy with such a velocity of appetite."

The Bashful Man.

Washington Irving at a party in England, one day, playfully asserted that the love of annexation of the Anglo-Saxon on every occasion proceeded probably from its *mauvaise honte* rather than its greediness. As a proof, he cited the story of a bashful friend of his, who, being asked to a dinner party, sat down to the table next the hostess in a great excitement, owing his recluse life. A few glasses of wine mounting to his brain, completed his confusion, and dissipated the small remains of his presence of mind. Casting his eyes down, he saw on his lap some white linen.

"Good heavens," thought he, "that's my shirt protruding at my waistband!"

He immediately commenced to tuck in the offending portion of his dress; but the more he tucked in, the more there seemed to remain.

At last he made a deperate effort, when a sudden crash around him and a scream from the company, brought him to his senses.

He had been all the time stuffing the table-cloth into his breeches, and the last move had swept everything clean off the table!

Thus our bashful friend annexed a table-cloth, thinking it was the tail of his own shirt.

STRONG MEN.—The Metropolitan Company have two of the strongest men in Boston in their employ. One of them is engaged in the car-house on the line, and by practice is enabled to lift 1000 pounds, without straps. The second man is a driver on one of the Norfolk horse-cars, and though not in good condition and practice can lift the above amount quite easy.—Neither of the men weigh above two hundred pounds.

The Altoona Tribune.

ALTOONA, PA.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 1860.

☞ Where parties are unknown to us, our rule for advertising is to require payment in advance, or a guarantee from known persons. It is therefore useless for all such to send us advertisements offering to pay at the end of three or six months. Where advertisements are accompanied with the money, whether one, five or ten dollars, we will give the advertiser the full benefit of cash rates.

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Advertising Agents, 119 Nassau street, New York; and 10 State street, Boston, are the Agents for the *Altoona Tribune*, and the most influential and largest circulating Newspapers in the United States and the Canadas. They are authorized to contract for us at our *lowest rates*.

Organization of Congress.

The report received previous to our going to press, last week, to the effect that William Pennington had been elected Speaker of Congress, proves to have been correct. All the letters from Washington, to the daily papers, state that the most intense excitement pervaded the city and the Capitol, after the parties dropped their old candidates and took up new ones. On Tuesday the forces of the different parties were centered on their candidates, the Democrats for McClernard, of Illinois, a Douglas Democrat, the Republicans and a number of Americans on William Pennington, of New Jersey, an Old Line Whig. On the call of the roll for the forty-third ballot, it was confidently expected that Briggs, of New York City, an independent Democrat, and Riggs, Democrat, from the district adjoining Pennington's, in New Jersey, would vote for Pennington, which, as parties then stood, would elect him. On Briggs name being called, he answered "McClernard." Knowing that this was decisive of the ballot, even if Riggs voted for Pennington, all interest was lost in the monotonous responses until the stentorian Clerk challenged "H. Winter Davis," of Baltimore, American, who, in his clear, ringing voice, gave back the response, "Pennington" Then 'tis said, the galleries resounded with enthusiastic cheers, mingled with hisses. This revived the hope of Pennington's election, in case Riggs should vote for him, and this Riggs had promised to do whenever it could elevate him to the Chair. The vote of H. Winter Davis had placed it in his power to redeem that pledge. As the reading clerk called out his name, every eye was rivited, and every ear bent, on Riggs. The response "McClernard," caused considerable excitement. Thus ended Tuesday's proceedings; Pennington lacking one vote of an election.

The House met on Wednesday morning, and after one or two dilitory motions were indulged in, the roll call for the forty-fourth ballot commenced. The result was a foregone conclusion, for although Briggs and Riggs both voted for McClernard, it was believed that the latter would change to Pennington if that would secure his election. The tally disclosed that the whole number of votes present was 233—necessary to choice 117—Pennington 116. Now came the crisis. The Democrats and Southern Americans tried to hold their forces to the vote, but just then Mr. Briggs arose and in a few remarks gave his reasons for changing his vote from McClernard to Pennington.—This made up the requisite 117.

After the excitement had somewhat subsided, Messrs. Bocock and Sherman conducted the Speaker elect to the Chair, on taking which, he delivered a well conceived speech the effect of which was felt by the vast assembly.

In remarking upon the events of the day, a correspondent of the *N. Y. Tribune*, closes his letter with the following paragraph:

For eight weeks, the daily sessions of the House have been opend by a prayer from a Christian minister. This morning its proceedings were introduced by an invocation to the God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob, from the lips of a Jewish Rabbi, clothed in the gorgeous habiliments of the Hebrew priesthood. He fervently prayed that "the House of Representatives might this day elect a man to preside over them" A irreverent spectator, when the result of the ballot was known, said it was evident that the Jewish dispensation had more influence over an crowd than the Christian, its types and adorn better befitting the character of those who, for two months, have dictated and disgraced its proceeding, than the light and liberty of the Gospel.

The time occupied this session in effecting an organization is within two days of being as much as was consumed in 1856, in the election of Mr. Banks, though the number of ballotings is far less, Mr. Pennington being chosen on the forty-fourth ballot, while Mr. Banks was chosen on he one hundred and thirty-third.

At the conclusion of the Speaker's address, a motion was made to proceed to the election of a Clerk, which was lost.—A motion was then made to proceed to the consideration and passage of the appropriation bill, which was also lost. The excitement and confusion was so great that all attempts of the Speaker to restore order were ineffectual. Finally, a motion was made to adjourn over until Friday, in order to give the Speaker time to arrange the committees—which motion prevailed.

The House met on Friday, and after a little talk, proceeded to the election of a Clerk. Mr. Schwartz nominated John W. Forney; Mr. Smith nominated James C. Allen, late Clerk; Mr. Nelson nominated Samuel Taylor, of Tennssee; Mr. Cobb nominated D. E. L. Dawson, of Ala. A vote was then had, with the following result:—

Whole number	221
Necessary to a choice	111
Forney	112
Allen	77
Taylor	23
Dawson	8

A Clerk being elected, the House then proceeded to ballot for Sergeant-at-Arms. Henry W. Hoffman was elected Sergeant-at-Arms in place of A. J. Glossbrenner. The vote for Glossbrenner stood as follows: For Hoffman, American, 114; for Glossbrenner 92, the rest scattering.

On Monday the House elected George Marston, of New Hampshire, Door Keeper, and Josiah M. Lucas, of Illinois, Post Master, after which it adjourned over until to-day.

CAMPAIGN OF 1860.—Now that Congress has succeeded in effecting an organization, the farce of manufacturing candidates for the campaign of 1860 has commenced. A telegraph despatch states that the Republican party has been interred and a new Party organized to consist of Republicans and South Americans, whose candidates are to be, for President, Edward Bates, of Missouri; Vice President, Simon Cameron, of Pennsylvania, and W. H. Seward to have the English Mission. A pretty strong team, but the programme may be changed.

☞ We have just received from the publishers, Leonard Scott & Co, New York, the first number of the 59th volume of the American edition of the *Westminster Review*. This publication contains 184 pages of solid reading matter, on topics of interest to every reader. The present number contains a long article on the subject of "Christian Revivals," which will be read with great profit by every one into whose hands the work shall fall.—Price of the Review $3 per annum.

☞ *Bennett's Dollar Monthly*, for Febroary, is before us, containing a continuation of the interesting story entitled "The Mountain Lilly," from the prolific pen of Bennett, together with good selections and original contributions. The *Monthly* is undoubtedly the cheapest magazine now published. Price 1.00. Bennett & Hamelin, Philadelphia.

☞ The *Student and Schoolmate*, edited by W. T. Adams, N. A. Calkins, and Father Forrester, is before us. It is published by Robison Greene & Co., Boston. Every number contains a speech, a dialogue, and a piece of music. It is just the book to be placed in the hands of children. Terms $1 per year.

Letter from Harrisburg.

Correspondence of the Tribune.

HARRISBURG, Feb 7, 1860.

Gentlemen:—To-day things look a little lively. The Philadelphians are here in full force, looking after their interests. One party is here to facilitate the passage of the new Insurance bill, and another is here to oppose it. Some are here on the new Passenger Railways, and others to oppose them. The fight will probably wax warm in a day or two.

To-day, in the Senate, another petition—being the third—was presented, praying that the State make an appropriation to the different Colleges in the Commonwealth. Of course such a measure finds no favor with your correspondent, who thinks that the business of appropriating money is already carried slightly beyond the bounds of propriety, and who believes that such additional appropriation would be "running the thing in the ground" There are some ten Colleges in the State, and as they would probably turn up their aristocratic noses at less than a cool thousand dollars each, here would be $10,000 absolutely given toward educating the rich.

Among the members of the Assembly I recognize one who is known to the older inhabitants of Altoona. It is Andrew Craig, Esq.—formerly Capt. Andy Craig. He was one of the original proprietors of the Logan House, having opened it in connection with Capt. Thompson, and afterwards disposed of his interest to W. T. Campbell. Mr. Craig makes a quiet, unobtrusive and gentlemanly member. He is a Republican, and represents the district composed of Westmoreland and Armstrong counties.

On Friday last Judge Bell's prolific brain got off the following, which was offered as a joint resolution:—

WHEREAS, In the present crisis of our public affairs, and in view of the unfortunate alienation of fraternal feeling which formerly subsisted between the various States of the confederacy, it is advisable to encourage and promote in every way, a more intimate intercourse between the inhabitants and authorities of the several States.

AND WHEREAS, The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania is desirous to testify to the State of Virginia the respect we feel for it as a distinguished member of the Union, and one of the original thirteen which contributed largely to the establishment of our National Independence; therefore,

Resolved, As the best means of effecting these objects, and especially of establishing more intimate personal relation between the representatives of the people of the respective States, we, the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do cordially invite the members of the General Assembly of the State of Virginia to make a visit to this Capitol, as the honored guests of this Assembly, at such time as they may see fit.

Resolved, That in the event of this invitation being accepted, the Speakers of the two Houses shall appoint a committee to make all necessary arrangements for the reception and entertainment of our friends.

Resolved, That the Governor of this Commonwealth be requested to transmit a copy of these resolutions to the Goobrnor Assembly of the State of Virginia.

This is intended to prove to the chivalrous F. F. V.'s that the Pennsylvanians are not all Abolitionists. Under the rule the resolutions were laid over—but I know their fate—they will be indefinitely postponed. Some of the Republicans might swallow this dose, but a majority would not.

Adjutant General Wilson has made his annual report. In it he says that "the whole number of arms issued to volunteer companies during the past year amounts to 2,740 muskets, leaving requisitions unfilled amounting to 12 370 muskets. The quota due to the State from the General Government, for 1860, amounts to 860 muskets." This being the case, it is likely that a majority of the new companies formed within the last year must either disband, or purchase their own arms. He further says:—

"The military law in practice has been found very defective in many respects—in relation to the returns of brigade inspectors, county commissioners and county treasurers; in relation to auditing the accounts in the brigades; in auditing the Adjutant General's accounts, as to contested elections and courts martial, and many other matters, which I still not mention here. I will, at an early day of the session, send my suggestions in relation to them all in detail."

A number of the prominent military men have had this subject under consideration here for some time, and a bill is now before the House which will remedy nearly all the defects of the present law. The want of arms rests with the General Government.

The following law in relation to liens has passed the House:—

AN ACT supplementary to the several acts relative to the liens of mechanics and material-men.

SECTION. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same:* That when any master workman or contractor shall, on demand, refuse to pay any journeyman or laborer employed in erecting or constructing, repairing or extending any building or property, belonging or adjacent thereunto, the wages due to him, it shall be the duty of such journeyman or laborer to give notice in writing, accompanied by a statement, supported by affidavit, that the same is correct and unpaid, to the owner or owners of such building, of such related sum of the amount due to him, and so demanded, and the owner or owners of such building shall thereupon be required to retain the amount owing by him or them, to such master workman or contractor, giving him written notice of such claim and demand, and if the same be not paid or settled by such master workman or contractor, such owner or owners shall retain the amount claimed by said journeyman or laborer, until a suit for the recovery of the same shall have been adjudicated by some proper authority, and journeyman or laborer for the same judgment, having first been obtained as aforesaid, shall entitle such owner or owners to any allowance thereof, in the settlement of accounts between him and such master workman or contractor, as so much paid on account: *Provided*, That the owner or owners of any building or buildings, against which such claims shall be made shall not be required to pay the same until such journeyman or laborer shall have obtained final judgment against such contractor or contractors, and all costs shall be paid by such contractor or contractors, but if such contractor or contractors shall refuse to pay the costs, then and in that case the costs to which the owner or owners may have been subjected, shall be deducted from the moneys coming to such journeyman laborer or claimant, under the provisions of this act. *And it is further provided*, That such claimant or claimants shall bring a suit against such contractor or contractors within one month after giving such notice and if no suit is brought within said time, then the notice is to have no effect whatever.

I regard this as a very important act, affecting as it does a large class of the community.

To-day in the Senate quite an animated discussion arose on a bill introduced by Senator Miller, entitled "an act for the relief of the tax payers of Washington county." It seems that in an evil hour the tax-payers aforesaid voted for the county to take $20,000 of stock in the Hempfield Railroad, under the delusion there never would be any interest to pay on the bonds issued. The bond holders are after the bond-issuers with a pointed piece of timber for their "monish." They have got a judgment, and the case is in the Supreme Court, but in the meantime the Commissioners have levied a tax to pay the interest, and it is to resist the collection of this tax, until the decision of the Supreme Court Mr. Miller's bill is intended, but as it smelled somewhat of repudiation, it was voted down, 19 to 7.

There is nothing new to chronicle in the Gubernatorial line, except that it is now alleged that John L. Dawson, of Fayette, will be the Democratic nominee.

Yours,

LOGAN.

PEN AND SCISSORS.

☞ The Huntingdon *Union* is publishing the Penna. Railroad in slices.

☞ We notice that Ginbaugh's sky-light daguerrean gallery has been opened by Mr. Amey, of Harrisburg.

☞ Trump—the Lyons' and Davis' of Ebensburg. We notice the names of three of the former and four of the latter in the Republican borough ticket.

☞ Large and still increasing—the number of persons who are anxious to serve their country in the capacity of Justice of the Peace of the borough of Altoona.

☞ The effect of character is always to command consideration. We sport, and laugh with men and women who have none; but we never confide in them.

☞ The branch road from Cresson to Ebensburg is one half graded—work to the value of $20,000 having been done! $10,000 will yet be required to finish the road.

☞ A little daughter of Mr. Michael J. Smith, of Gallitzin, Cambria county, was scalded to death, on Saturday week last, by upsetting a pan of boiling water on her head.

☞ Chevalier Wykoff, of the New York *Herald*, was summarily ejected, on Wednesday, from the House of Representatives, at the instance of Hon. Roger A. Pryor.

☞ A resolution has been introduced into the Penn'a Legislature to reduce the pay of Legislators from $700 to $500. When that resolution passes, we will let our readers know in an extra.

☞ Timothy says the first time he went courting, he felt as if a pink angel had hauled him down a rainbow, with a piece of chain lightning, smack into a pile of down. What's a-pie-al?

☞ The Court of Snyder county has decided to remove the School Directors of Chapman township, because a majority of them decided not to open free schools according to law.

☞ There are now in California ninety-four Odd Fellow's Lodges, with a total membership of 94,700. The Lodges disbursed charities during last year to the amount of $48,000.

☞ Lord Palmerston has just appointed a Methodist, the son of a Methodist preacher, to the responsible office of Solicitor General of England—the first dissenter placed in judicial office since the time of Cromwell.

☞ Sloped—the young lady found guilty of infanticide before a coroner's jury, in this place some two weeks since, has departed for other regions. Whose fault is it that she was thus permitted to evade the consequences of her guilt?

☞ In Pennsylvania the letter postage in 1859 was $71,757 06; registered letters, 2,631 00; stamps sold, $532,203 60—total receipts, $561,3 3 54. Compensation to postmasters and incidentals, $231,864 50; transportation, $386,227 69—total expense, $671,532 28.

☞ The proprietors of the St. Charles Hotel, in New Orleans, recently imported a special officer from New York to stay about the hotel and keep things straight, but on the 12th inst. he resigned, and packing his baggage left for home, terribly frightened. The superfluity of flying bullets thereabouts was enough, he said, "to alarm the devil."

☞ Promises.—Satan promises the best, but pays with the worst; he promises honor and pays with disgrace; he promises pleasure, and pays with pain; he promises profit and pays with loss; he promises life, but pays with death. But God pays as he promises; and all his promises are made in pure gold.

☞ Cause of Blushes.—A writer in the *American Medical Gazett* thus furnishes the reason why young ladies blush when spoken to about their lovers: "The mind communicates with the central ganglion; the latter, by reflex action through the brain and facial nerve, to the organic nerves in the face, with which its branches inosculate."

☞ Type-Setting Machine.—Mr. Charles W. Felt of Salem, has been at work for a few years past, upon an invention designed for setting and distributing types by machinery. His plans have been fully matured by the most indefatigable labor, and at the present time, various important parts of his machine have been completed and found to work well and satisfactorily.

☞ SENATORIAL SENTIMENT.—During the reunion at the residence of Nicholas Longworth, Saturday morning, Mr. Underwood, of Kentucky, having toasted Mr. Longworth as the representative man of the times, W. J. Flagg, esq. of the Ohio House of Representatives, responded with the following sentiment:

The Three Trees.—The Ash of Kentucky, furnishes the wood of the lance, emblem of chivalry; the Hickory of Tennesse, rock-rooted, storm-defying, emblem of strength; the Buck-eye of Ohio, blooming and refreshing as a woman, emblem of beauty. Chivalry, beauty and strength, the Vine that has its home on the hills of Ohio, Kentucky and Tennesse, shall twine around them all, binding trunk and branch into an emblem of Union—not the bundle of dry and sapless rootes of the Roman Republic, but in a living *fasces* of perpetual growth.

☞ A western editor has received sixteen offers for marriage since leap year has set in, but he has not excepted one of them, the answer to this invariable question. How much property have you in your own right?" not being satisfactory in either case.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

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The great standard medicines of the present age, have acquired their great popularity only through years of trial. Unbounded satisfaction is rendered by them in all cases; and the people have pronounced them worthy.

Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Jaundice, Debility of the Nervous System, Diseases of the Kidneys,

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The **Balsamic Cordial** *has acquired a reputation surpassing that of any similar preparation extant. It will cure,* WITHOUT FAIL, *the most severe and long-standing*

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and has performed the most astonishing cures ever known of

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A few doses will also at once check and cure the most severe Diarrhœa *proceeding from* COLD IN THE BOWELS.

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In the Almanac published annually by the proprietors, called EVERYBODY'S ALMANAC, *you will find testimony and commendatory notices from all parts of the country. These Almanacs are given away by all our agents.*

☞ For sale in Altoona, by A. Roush and G. W. Kessler, and by all Druggists. [may 19, '59-1y

WORMS! WORMS!

Various theories have been started relative to the origin of intestinal worms and yet the question is still a vexed one among medical authorities. Of one fact, however, all are informed, and in which all agree—the fatal nature of the influence they exert on children. At this season of the year, the attacks of worms are most frequent as well as most dangerous. We take great pleasure in directing the attention of parents to the Vermifuge of Dr. M Lane, prepared by Fleming Bros., Pittsburgh. It is one of the most extraordinary medicines ever introduced to the public, and has never failed of success when tried

☞ Purchasers will be careful to ask for DR. M'LANE'S CELEBRATED VERMIFUGE, manufactured by FLEMING BROS., of Pittsburgh, Pa. There are other Pills purporting to be Liver Pills, now before the public. Dr. M Lane's genuine Liver Pills, also his celebrated Vermifuge, can now be had at all respectable drug stores. None genuine without the signature of

FLEMING BROS.

Feb. 9, 1860.

Sold by druggists and dealers everywhere.

FITS! WHY PROMINENT.

For a long time there was a a paragraph making its regular weekly appearance in our columns, with the brief, but emphatic words "Fits! Fits!" always at the head, to some an offensive caution, but not so to the benevolent and humane, who could sympathize in the sorrows of others. Some persons are shocked at any indication of disease and are even thrown into nervous excitement on witnessing a hearse or coffin. Such are to be pitied. We should always strive to look disease and even death in the face with calmness, and especially take every opportunity for alleviating disease.—Viewed in this light, the advertisements of S. S. Hance, of 108 Baltimore street, Baltimore, Md., possess a certain interest, and those who know of any one suffering from Epilepsy, Spasms, or Fits of any kind, should feel a pleasure to cut out his advertisement, or in some other way send word to the afflicted of the great value of his remedies. They can be sent to any part of the country by mail. Price, $3 per box. Two, $5. Twelve, $24.

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From rich and poor, bond and free, all colors, grades and conditions of life, we hear the same meed of praise awarded this wonderful article. Sores are healed, pains relieved, lives saved, valuable animals made useful, and untold ills assuaged by this great medicine, which is surprising to the judgment of man. What family does not require a standard Liniment? Who ever heard of the same effects produced by any other article? For cuts, bruises, sprains, rheumatism, swellings, strained horses, &c., it has no equal.

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☞ See advertisement in another column.

Feb 9, 1860.

☞ "On that the skin of an innocent sheep should be made into parchment, and written on to the undoing of a man!" quoth Shakspeare. He might also have deplored the ruining of men's forms by the uncouth manner in which some tailorless tailors butcher up the cloth made from the wool grown by these same harmless sheep. To see the perfection of the art of working up cloth wisely and well, and so as to set off to the best advantage the forms of its wearers, call at the Brown-Stone Clothing Hall of Rockhill & Wilson, Nos. 603 and 605 Chestnut St., above Sixth, Phila. and examine their stock of garments for fashion and quality.

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The combination of ingredients in these Pills are the result of a long and extensive practice. They are mild in their operation, and certain in correcting all irregularities. Painful Menstruations, removing all obstructions, whether from cold or otherwise; headache, pain in the side, palpitation of the heart, whites, all nervous affections, hysterics, fatigue, pain in the back and limbs, &c., disturbed sleep, which arise from interruption of nature.

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was the commencement of a new era in the treatment of those irregularities and obstructions which have consigned so many thousands of the young, the beautiful, and the beloved to a premature grave. No female can enjoy good health unless she is regular, and whenever an obstruction takes place the general health begins to decline.

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A valuable Pamphlet, to be had free, of the Agents.—Pills *sent by mail, promptly*, by enclosing price to the General Agent. Sold by Druggists generally,

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Altoona Jan. 12, 1859.—6m.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO all persons, not to purchase a PROMISSORY NOTE given by John Cunningham and Michael Cassiday to Geo. Welsh dated August 31st, 1857, for $140 and some cents, payable twelve months after date, as we are determined not to Pay the same unless compelled by law, never having received value therefor. JOHN CUNNINGHAM.

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Jan. 26, 1860-4t.

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Jan. 12, 1860.—tf J. D. LEET.

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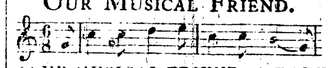

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Jan. 2, '56-tf.] J. SHOEMAKER.

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EZRA D. HEARTWELL, *Pres't*

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Hannibal, Mo. Feb. 2, '60-1y.

BY ATLANTIC TELEGRAPH.—Did you hear the news from Europe? If you have not, we will tell you what it is. It is that HENRY TUCK has just returned from the Eastern cities with a large supply of

READY-MADE CLOTHING,

consisting of all styles and qualities of Overcoats, Dress Coats, Vests, Pants, Boots and Shoes, and everything kept in an establishment of the kind, all of which he offers at unprecedently low prices for cash. Having purchased his stock at cash prices, he is thereby enabled to sell very low.

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Altoona, Sept. 30, 1858.-tf

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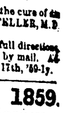

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Altoona, Nov. 3, 1859-tf H. SMITH.

PLANING MILL & SASH MANUFACTORY.—The subscriber would announce that he has removed his

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from Tipton to Altoona, where he will continue to fill orders and attend to all work entrusted to him, with despatch. The Mill is on the lot adjoining Allison's Steam Flouring Mill. THOS. MAAULEY.

Altoona, Nov. 17, 1859.—tf

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Altoona Tribune.

ALTOONA MAIL SCHEDULE.

MAILS CLOSE.

Eastern Way at	7 00 A.M.
Western "	8 00 A.M.
Hollidaysburg,	8 00 "
Western Through and Hollidaysburg,	7 00 P.M.
Eastern Through Mail	8 15 "

MAILS OPEN.

Eastern Through Mail,	8 20 A.M.
Western Through and Hollidaysburg,	7 40 "
Western Way,	11 15 A.M.
Eastern "	7 20 P.M.
Hollidaysburg	7 25 "

Office open for the transaction of business from 7.00 A M. till 8 P. M., during the week; and from 7.50 to 8.50 o'clock, on Sunday.

June 4, '57-tf] JOHN SHOEMAKER, P. M.

RAILROAD SCHEDULE.

Express Train	East arrives	9.22 P. M.,	leaves	9.40 P. M.
"	" West "	8.20 A. M.	"	8.40 A. M.
Fast	" East "	7.40 A. M.	"	8.00 A. M.
"	" West "	8.45 P. M.,	"	9.05 P. M.
Mail	" East "	11.15 A. M.	"	11.35 A. M.
"	" West "	7.25 P. M.,	"	7.45 P. M.

The HOLLIDAYSBURG BRANCH connects with Express Train East and West, with Mail Train East and West, and with Way Freight Eastward and Westward.

The BLAIRSVILLE BRANCH connects with Johnstown Way Train East and West, Express Train West and Mail Train East.

November 29, 1858. THOS. A. SCOTT, *Sup't.*

LOCAL ITEMS.

LAMENTABLE ACCIDENT.—It is ever a most unpleasant duty to be called upon to record an accident resulting in the death of a person who may be an entire stranger to us, and for whom, naturally, we do not feel the sympathy which is created by daily associations of the most agreeable character; how much more unpleasant then is it for us to be compelled to record the sudden taking off of our much esteemed fellow-citizen, William Renner, a workman in the car-shop, in this place, the injuries causing which, occurred on Friday afternoon last, and his death on Saturday afternoon following. The facts are as follows:—On Friday afternoon, he and three other workmen were engaged in taking down car trucks from a pile on which they had been placed, just outside of the half-round house. The trucks weigh in the neighborhood of 1400 or 1600 lbs., and were piled up to the height of six or seven feet. In taking them down they used a large crane with a chain. The chain was fastened to the truck and then drawn up until the truck was lifted from the pile, after which the crane was moved around and the truck lowered to the spot where it was wanted. In endeavoring to move one of the trucks, it caught fast, and Mr. Renner attempted to pull it loose, when unfortunately, the chain unhooked and the truck fell upon him, striking him across the bowels and crushing him to the ground. His companions raised the truck off him as soon as possible and conveyed him to the residence of his father-in-law, Mr. George Hawkesworth. Dr. Finley was immediately summoned, and, upon examination, found that he was so badly crushed, inwardly, that he could not survive, and so informed him, but proceeded to do all in his power to alleviate his sufferings, which were intense. He lingered in agony until five o'clock on Saturday evening, when the shades of death came with the shades of night and relieved him of his misery.

His funeral took place at two o'clock, P. M., on Monday. Out of respect for the deceased, the shops of the Company were closed during the afternoon, and the workmen turned out in a body. The Logan Rifle Rangers and the Good Will Fire Company, of which companies he was a member, turned out, the former in full uniform and the latter in citizens' dress, (together numbering over one hundred,) and escorted the remains of their late companion to their last resting place in the cemetery. The procession was the largest ever witnessed in this place, and evidenced the high regards entertained for him better than we could convey it in words.

How true is it that "in the midst of life we are in death," and how forcibly has this providence of the Great Disposer of Events impressed upon us the injunction of Holy Writ, "be ye also ready." It has been sent as a warning, but alas, how soon will it be forgotten.

The deceased leaves a young wife and two interesting children to mourn their sudden bereavement. As a husband and father, all who knew him will sustain us in saying that he was a pattern of devotion and kindness, and appeared to have his affections entirely wrapped up in his partner and his household idols, from whom he was seldom absent except when engaged at his daily labor. In their bereavement his family have the sympathy of the entire community.

TRIBUTE OF RESPECT.

At a meeting of the "Logan Rifle Rangers," held in their armory, on Monday evening, Feb. 6th, 1860, the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, It has pleased God, in his all wise providence, to remove from among us our fellow-soldier and co-laborer, Lieut. WILLIAM RENNER, a highly respected member of our company, therefore, be it

Resolved, That we deeply sympathize with his family and friends in this their sad bereavement. As a husband and father he was ever thoughtful and kind—as a neighbor, ever generous and obliging. All who were intimately acquainted with him will accord to him the merit of being warm hearted and generous, always ready to extend a helping hand to those who petitioned for its aid.

Resolved, That in his death we are all loudly admonished to prepare for eternity, "for in such an hour as we think not the son of man cometh."

Resolved, That our armory be clothed in mourning for 30 days, as a token of respect to our deceased fellow soldier.

Resolved, That a copy of these proceedings be sent to the family of the deceased, with the expressions of our warmest feelings for their sad loss, and that they be published in the Altoona *Tribune*.

R. M. MESSIMER, *Sec'y.*

OUR FAST JOB PRESS.—We have just received and put into operation one of Lawyer's Fast Job Presses, and are now prepared to execute all kinds of cards, circulars, &c., on short notice. We have also added several fonts of new job type to our already large assortment, and believe that we can now do work, which will compare favorably with that of city offices. Bring along your cards and bills, gentlemen, and see how neat our little jobber will put them through.

ADJOURNED COURT.—An Adjourned Court will be held in Hollidaysburg to-day and to-morrow for the argument of cases, &c., at which time the matter of opening a number of streets in this place will be considered. As considerable interest is manifested in this matter, we presume the place will be pretty well represented.

THE COMMON SCHOOLS OF BLAIR COUNTY.—The State Superintendent of Common Schools has published his annual report, from which we copy the following statistical information in regard to the Schools of this county:—

Whole number of schools	130
Number of schools yet required	7
Aggregate number of months taught	5.13
Number of male teachers	104
" female "	25
Aggregate salaries of male per month	$29 98
" " " female "	26 10
Number of male scholars	4.109
" female "	3.379
Number learning German	7
Av. no. of scholars attending school	4,888
Cost of teaching each scholar per mo	$— 55
Amt. tax levied for school purposes	24.994 72
" " " building "	3.382 03
Total amount levied	28,826 75
Mills on dollar for building purposes	195
" " " "	509
Received from State appropriation	2,482 54
Rec'd from collectors of school-tax	22.690 69
Whole amt of teachers' wages	20.564 00
Fuel and contingencies	2.084 82
Cost of School Houses	4,629 31
Aggregate number of taxables	6,533

From the Report we obtain the following in reference to the schools of this borough:—

Whole number of schools	8
Number of schools yet required	1
Aggregate number of months taught	8
Number of Male Teachers	4
" Female "	4
Av. salaries of Males per month	$37 50
" Females "	27 50
Number of Male scholars	319
" Female "	284
Av. no. scholars attending school	361
Cost of teaching each scholar per mo	$— 47
Amt tax levied for school purposes	$2,302 88
" " building "	428 27
Mills on dollar levied for school purposes	4
" " building "	2
Rec'd from State appropriation	$299 44
Rec'd from Col. School Taxes	1.781 45
Whole amt. Teachers' wages	2.080 00
Fuel and contingencies	200 08
Cost of School Houses	927 00

The above report is for last year. This year the aggregate number of months taught will be 10, the Directors having agreed to keep open that length of time. Altoona District bears a favorable comparison with any other district in the county. Although the tax assessed for school and building purposes is one mill less on the dollar than that of Hollidaysburg, there has been $192 more spent for the purposes named.

MILITARY MATTERS.—From the Report of the Adjutant General, recently published, we obtain the following information relative to the military of this county:—Whole no. of Companies, 11—Cavalry, 2—Artillery, 2—Infantry, 4—Riflemen 3. Aggregate of Brigades, 3.344. Field pieces, 2 brass six-pounders—muskets, 193—bayonets, 193—cartridge-boxes, 193—bayonet scabbards, belts and plates, 110—rifles, 125—powder-horns 110—pouches, 85—pistols, 100—horses, 50—cavalry swords, 50—sword-belts, 50. Number of delinquent militia men, 8,335.

The Adjutant General says there are 350,000 effective militia in the State, of which 17,500 are uniformed, and organized into volunteer companies. In speaking of the lack of arms to supply new companies, he says that, "so many new companies have been formed in the State, that ten thousand muskets would be barely enough to supply them, while there are but about twelve hundred annually to distribute.—We copy the following from the Report:—

"The whole number of arms issued to volunteer companies during the past year amounts to 2,740 muskets, leaving requisitions unfilled amounting to 12,370 muskets. The quota due to the State from the General Government, for 1860, amounts to 850 muskets.

The table attached to this report, showing the number and kind of arms in each brigade, is by no means full, and does not exhibit the quantity of ammunition belonging to the State. It is the duty of the brigade inspectors of the various brigades to furnish me with this kind of information, but it seems impossible for me, through any inducement, to obtain from them the statistics desired. During the coming year I will use the compulsory process of a court martial in turning their attention to this subject. I regret to say that almost all brigades are careless in regard to arms, and often when a company disbands, their arms are scattered, to be heard of no more. A more rigid observance of the law, in this respect, will be required from the persons having in charge this property of the State."

PEOPLE'S PARTY MEETING AND NOMINATIONS.—A meeting of all opposed to the present National Administration, was held at the office of W. R. Boyers, Esq., on Saturday evening, Feb. 4th, 1860, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the offices to be filled at the coming Spring election. The meeting was organized by appointing W. R. Boyers, Esq., Chairman, and B. F. Custer, Secretary.

The following persons were placed in nomination, viz:—

Chief Burgess—John Allison.

Town Council—Daniel Price, East Ward.
S. A. Alexander, " "
E B. McCrum, West Ward.
R. B Taylor, " "
Robt. Green, North Ward.

School Directors—John Loudon,
H. C Dern.

Justice of the Peace—Peter Reed.

Judge of Elections—Solomon Boyer, E. W.
B F. Rose, W. W.
Christ. Whistler, N. W.

Inspector of Elections—Ab'm Alloway, E. W.
J. Reifsnyder, W. W.
James Rigg, N. W.

Auditor—D. R. Good.

Assessor—Geo. W. Patton.

Asst. Assessors—Jeremiah K. Bellman.
Henry Boll.

Constable—Joseph K. Ely.

The proceedings of the meeting were ordered to be published in the Altoona *Tribune*.

On motion adjourned,

B. F. CUSTER, *Sec'y.*

☞ At a meeting of the Straigh-out Americans of Altoona, held at the house of Jonathan Derno, on Monday evening, Feb. 6th, the following persons were nominated:—

Justice of the Peace—Isaac Hooper.

Constable—Absalom Singer.

Judge of Election—Joshua Hooper.

☞ Printers, like other people, are not infallible. They sometimes fall into errors, and at other times are unwarily led into them. Our focal cotemporary of the Pittsburgh *Chronicle* led us into two errors last week, one ludicrous and the other bringing upon us the charge of partiality. We shall take occasion to correct the errors referred to as soon as we have obtained a little more information on the subject, and hope our cotemporary will do the same.

☞ Hip! Hip!! Hurrah!!! Who dare now say that "Republics are ungrateful?" Who dare now say that *modesty* and *merit* are below par in the borough of Altoona? Who dare now say that posts of *honor* and *emolument* do not await the *distinguished* of the land, and that times have not changed back to the good old days of our forefathers, when the office sought the man, not the man the office? Behold two instances! The Senior and Junior of the *Tribune* have both been selected to occupy distinguished positions in the administration of the affairs of our thriving borough, during the coming year, *provided*, they get votes enough to elect them. The honors of the offices referred to are, however, of a doubtful quality—being, as a general thing, more curses than praises—and the emoluments 00. There exists a little difficulty in our minds in deciding whether we were selected on account of our good looks, our pupularity, or because it don't matter whether we get licked or not—most probably the last.—But since we are in the ring, we'll run like white-heads, and if we are beaten, we are beaten, that's all.

CORRECTION.—In our last week's issue we noticed the fact that Judge Taylor had refused to grant all but one of the applications for tavern license prayed for by the keepers of lager beer saloons, in this place. Not having read law, or been as particular in keeping posted up in new laws, as we might have, we were under the impression that licenses to keep lager beer saloons were granted by the Court, which is not the case. Licenses to keep lager beer saloons are granted by the County Treasurer, on the presentation of a petition, signed by twelve citizens, and the tender of the license fee. The objection to the licenses prayed for at the last Court was, that they were for tavern licenses, allowing the holder to sell all kinds of liquor, and the setting forth in the petitions of the fact that the applicants were "provided with house-room and accommodations for strangers and travellers," when such was not the case. The petitions were refused only as far as they included tavern licenses, and not in the matter of lager saloons and restaurants. We hope this will satisfy those who took umbrage at our remarks, last week.—We, some times, don't know any more about other people's business than they know about ours, although a great many think we should.

GROUND-HOG DAY.—Thursday last, according to tradition, was the day on which the ground hog awakes from his winter's snooze, and issuing from his lair, snuffs the air, and casts his eyes about him to see whether his shadow is visible in the sun. If it be, says the same authority, his hogship hurries back to his retreat, satisfied that there are yet six weeks more of cold weather to come, while if it be not, he remains abroad, confident that the frosts of winter have for the most part passed. We confess that our faith in such signs is not very strong: but we do not wish, by so expressing ourselves, to weaken the faith of others; according to their faith, so be it unto them. Our belief of the pranks of his hogship was not strong enough to induce us to take particular notice of the day, but if our memory serves us rightly, we believe it was rather cloudy, and that Mr Ground Hog would have had considerable difficulty in discovering his shadow. In the event of our belief as to the weather on that day being correct, we will try and exercise faith enough in the prognostication of said porcine quadruped to make him a prophet.

LOGAN VALLEY ITEMS.—On Friday last one of the tenant houses at Elizabeth Furnace took fire from a stove pipe, and in a short time was burned to the ground. All the furniture in the house was saved

On the same day, John, a son of Mr. John Bell, was thrown from a horse and badly injured. The horse took fright at some trifling object, and ran off. In his mad race he literally ran through a paling fence, pitching Mr. Bell forcibly to the ground, cutting his leg badly and mashing his nose. He was taken home insensible, and for a time little hope was entertained of his recovery; but he is now doing well.

On the same (unlucky) day, as a gentleman, residing at Sabbath Rest, was on his way to his store, he saw a dog running, frothing at the mouth, and having every symptom of hydrophobia. Seeing the dog coming toward him, he procured a club near by, and just as the animal made a leap at him, struck him a blow which lamed him. He then ran to his store, got a gun and shot him.

FURS STOLEN.—A young lady who had not the fear of God or the law before her eyes, did, on Friday evening last, at the protracted meeting, in the Methodist Church, appropriate to her own use and behoof, a set of furs belonging to a lady who was taking part in the exercises of the occasion; said furs having been placed on the back of the seat on which the owner was sitting, and there left, while she went forward to speak with the penitents. On looking for her furs, after the congregation was dismissed, they were no where to be found. Her suspicions fell upon a young lady who sat immediately behind her during the first services of the evening. On Saturday morning, Constable Ely was provided with a search warrant and proceeded to the house of the suspected party, where he found the missing article. It certainly requires considerable courage to perform such an operation, as did this young lady, in such a place, and on such an occasion.

IMPORTANT TO SPORTSMEN.—The game law, prohibiting the killing of certain game, went into effect on the 1st of February. No true sportsman would kill any kind of game out of season allowed by law, and all others who do should be made to pay the penalty. The act provides that no person shall kill or otherwise destroy any pheasant between the first day of February and the first day of August, or any woodcock between the first day of February and the fourth day of July, or any partridge or rabbit between the first day of February and the first day of October, under a penalty of five dollars for each and every offence.

☞ We are informed that on Monday night last the *Whig* printing-office took fire, through the negligence of an employee, and narrowly escaped being totally destroyed.

☞ *How a Man's Life is sometimes Prolonged.*

Below will be found a certificate from one of our most respectable citizens, residing in Patton township, regarding the efficacy of Dr. Keyser's Pectoral Syrup, a medicine which we have favorably known for a long time, and which is attested by hundreds of our immediate citizens in every walk of life. Whatever some may think of what are usually termed patent medicines, we have entire confidence in Dr. Keyser's Pectoral Syrup, as we are assured that the Doctor prepares every ounce of it with his own hands.

"Some time ago, an old neighbor of mine was very ill with a bad cough, which every one supposed to be consumption. His relatives told me that he had taken every remedy they heard of without benefit, his brother came to see him die, and all were confirmed in the belief that he could not live. I had about a third of a bottle of your Pectoral Syrup, which I gave him, and it entirely cured him to the astonishment of all. What makes the case more remarkable is the extreme age of the man, he being about eighty years old. I have no doubt the Pectoral saved his life." JOHN M'GINNIS,

April 14th, 1857. Patton Tp.

For Sale by G. W. Kessler.

VALENTINES! VALENTINES!!—St. Valentine has taken up his head-quarters at his old stand, Fettinger's Literary Emporium, No. 1, Altoona House, where he will be pleased to see his friends young and old, during the season. At the above stand may be found a large stock of Valentines, ranging from 1 cent to $3, consisting of comic, sentimental and artistic. Sweethearts and lovers, sisters and brothers, attend to the voice of conscience, and go to Fettinger's and buy one of those sweet little missives, which, by being applied according to directions, are a certain cure for the heart-ache.

N. B.—Potter & Hammon's Copy-Books for sale.

NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given to the Stockholders that the 9th instalment on the Capital Stock of the Altoona Gas and Water Company, will be due and made payable at the Banking House of Wm. M. Lloyd & Co., on Thursday, February 16th, 1860.

BENJ. F. ROSE, *Sec'y.*

December, 20th, 1859.

CANDIDATES CARDS.

To the Citizens of Altoona:

After some deliberation I have concluded to offer myself to your favorable consideration as a candidate for the office of JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, without respect to party. This office should not be made a political test to run any man into office. You all have an equal interest in the execution of your laws. I received the office from you, five years ago, without respect to party, and with scarcely a dissenting voice at the ballot box, and therefore I have tried to act with equal impartiality toward all, to the best of my judgement and ability; and if elected again, my office door will always be open to all of you. Call and see me. Come in without knocking at the door.

Altoona, Feb. 9, 1860. JACOB GOOD.

To the Free and Independent Voters of the Borough of Altoona.

Friends and fellow-citizens—You will see by this declaration that I publicly announce myself as the People's candidate for the office of *Justice of the Peace*, East Ward, of the borough of Altoona. Therefore, I would most cordially solicit your suffrages, and, if elected, will endeavor to discharge the duties of the office to the best of my ability and judgment.

JOHN L. ICKES.

Altoona, Jan. 17th, 1860.

To the Voters of Altoona:

Being unable to work at my trade, in consequence of a weakness in my limbs, I would offer myself to your consideration as a candidate for the office of JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, at the ensuing election, and if elected will discharge the duties of the office to the best of my ability.

JOHN W. HUMES.

Altoona, Feb. 1. 1860.

To the Intelligent Voters of Altoona.

I, Dr. DANIEL W. FORD, being fully convinced that the office of JUSTICE OF THE PEACE is one of momentous importance to the citizens of this place, and that sound judgment, honesty of purpose, spotless integrity, true virtue and high moral courage are essential and indispensably necessary qualifications for the faithful and impartial discharge of the onerous duties of said office, do hereby offer myself to the favorable consideration and suffrages of my intelligent fellow citizens, believing that I embody the qualifications above specified.

Altoona, Feb. 9, 1860.

To the Voters of Altoona:

At the solicitation of a number of my friends, I offer myself as an INDEPENDENT CITIZENS' candidate for the office of BOROUGH CONSTABLE, at the coming Spring election. If elected, I will attend promptly to, and faithfully discharge, the duties of the office.

HEZEKIAH FLOWMAN.

Altoona, Feb. 9, 1860—2t.

To the Citizens of Altoona:

I hereby offer myself to your consideration and suffrages as a candidate for the office of BOROUGH CONSTABLE. If elected I will discharge the duties of said office to the best of my ability, and without "fear, favor of affection" to any party or person.

ABSALOM SINGER.

Altoona, Feb. 9, 1860—2t.

FOR SALE.—A HOUSE AND LOT, desirably located in the Borough of Altoona. Apply to JOHN SHOEMAKER.

Altoona, Feb. 9, 1860-tf.

UPHOLSTERING.—THE UNDERSIGNED would respectfully inform the citizens of Altoona and the public generally, that he is prepared to do all kinds of Uphol-tering; such as making Hair, Cotton, Husk and Straw Mattresses. Cushions for Carriages, and Church Seats Chair and Sofa bottoms, &c.

All kinds of repairing attended to on short notice, in good style, and at reasonable prices.

Room on the corner of Annie and Virginia Sts., opposite the Superintendent's Office. THOS. M'BRIDE.

Feb. 9, 1860-2t.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given, that letters of Administration on the estate of Wesley R. Griffis, late of Logan township, Blair county, dec'd., have been granted to the undersigned, residing as aforesaid. All persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims will present them duly authenticated for settlement, to

JOHN GRIFFIN, *Adm'r.*

Feb. 9, 1860.-6t.

SEND FOR

SIR WALTER DE RUSE'S GREAT BOOK.—Every married and single woman should have this valuable and instructive work. It will save them many sleepless nights and days of sorrow. Every young man and woman contemplating holy wedlock, should have this highly instructive book. It will save to those who read it thousands of dollars, and many after chagrins and regrets. Mothers, fathers, sisters, brothers, send for it and read its instructive pages. You will never regret it. Sent free to any address, by enclosing two stamps to W. DE RUSE, M. D., Box 84, Philadelphia Post office.

Feb. 3, 1860.-1y.

SUGAR AND MOLASSES BY THE BBL. and COFFEE BY THE BAG, for sale Wholesale by Feb. 25, 1859. C. JAGGARD.

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

OF BLAIR COUNTY, PA., *from the 7th day of January, 1859, to the second succeeding day of January, 1860.*

The Treasurer, (JOHN LINGAFELT, Esq.,) charges himself with the following amounts, to wit:

DR.

To cash received from—			
S Hoover late Treasurer,			$102 42
1854 D Watson,	Collector,	Hollidaysburg,	12 00
1857 John Suter,	"	Catharine,	13 17
1857 Jas Williamson,	"	Allegheny,	10 58
1858 Sam'l Jones	"	Snyder,	21 50
1857 P Brickenbaugh,	"	Tyrone,	115 71
1855 John Shenefelt,	"	Woodberry,	55
1856 Jos Irwin,	"	Brandywine,	39 88
1857 Fred Rouse,	"	Huston,	10 00
" Geo Elliott,	"	Frankstown,	275 00
" John McClure,	"	Hollidaysburg,	9 02
" P Brickenthal,	"	Martinsburg,	6 44
1858 Geo W Patton,	"	Altoona,	627 00
" Peter H Wilt,	"	Allegheny,	80 80
" David Hensley,	"	Antis,	275 83
" Geo Koon,	"	Blair,	468 08
" Jacob Dell,	"	Catharine,	210 85
" P Hileman,	"	Frankstown,	262 25
" Jno Musselman,	"	Greenfield,	80 90
" W Kellerman,	"	Gaysport,	241 55
" John McGraw,	"	Huston,	285 66
" Geo F Bowers,	"	Hollidaysburg,	98 52
" Frazer Harlan,	"	Juniata,	126 57
" Jno Westley,	"	Logan,	98 67
" H S Crawford,	"	Martinsburg,	100 74
" Henry Burget,	"	N. Woodberry,	479 33
" W F Plummer,	"	Snyder,	440 00
" S R Shiffler,	"	Taylor,	407 88
" A Miller,	"	Tyrone,	404 49
" Alex Bobb,	"	Tyrone Bor.,	192 18
" Chas Bittle,	"	Woodberry,	483 10
1859 Peter H Wilt,	"	Allegheny,	404 06
" A Robison,	"	Blair,	167 00
" Jas McPherson,	"	Antis,	222 27
" B F Roller,	"	Catharine,	334 00
" Kurtz Coffman,	"	Frankstown,	273 42
" Peter Stiffler,	"	Freedom,	90 00
" Paul Mank,	"	Greenfield,	307 31
" Michael Wike,	"	Huston,	176 00
" John McClure,	"	Hollidaysburg,	344 66
" David Burger,	"	Juniata,	127 25
" Ab'm Barkey,	"	Logan,	727 00
" Jacob Law,	"	N. Woodberry,	395 00
" Geo Traister,	"	Snyder,	110 00
" S R Shiffler,	"	Taylor,	348 21
" Andrew Miller,	"	Tyrone,	830 00
" Wm Stokes,	"	Tyrone Bor.,	56 75
" Alex Rutledge,	"	Woodberry,	536 80
" Jacob Barnhart,	(Loan,)		400 00
" Jacob Good,	Do.		1250 00
" Isaac Crawford,	Do.		1500 00
Thos. Brunker, for use of Court House,			1 00
			$17,626 83
To balance due County in hands of Treasurer,			$2,136 33
			CR.

The Treasurer, (JOHN LINGAFELT,) asks credit for the following disbursements, to wit:

By amount paid—		
Grand and Traverse Jurors,		$2261 94
Directors of the Poor,		3800 00
Gas for Court House,		77 00
D M Comer, County Commissioner, in full,		36 00
Jacob Barnhart, " "	"	104 00
J R McFarlane, " "	on account	2022 00
E M Jones, " "	"	174 00
H A Caldwell, Clerk to Co. Com., on acc't, '58 & '59		836 38
O A Trough, printing		28 25
McCrum & Dern, "		20 00
James Bell, "		20 00
Geo Raymond, "		61 90
J Penn Jones, "		184 50
For Fox, Wolf and Wild Cat Scalps		198 70
Election Fees		482 37
Assessors		714 21
Constables		189 90
Criminal prosecutions		625 42
Road Views,		96 03
Inquests		112 10
Dr C Irvine, attending prisoners		23 25
W W Jackson, wood for jail		9 63
J M Hewitt, merchandise for jail		19 31
Jonathan Stitler, wood for jail		4 00
J R McFarlane & Co., castings for jail		4 25
John Dipner, repairs for jail		2 50
W McFarland, bedsteads for jail		4 50
G L Lloyd, coal for jail		3 75
Robt. Lindsey, repairs for jail		5 50
M Shoenthal, Clothing for prisoners,		8 25
B G Eaton, whitewashing, &c., for jail		5 00
H Claffis, chips for jail		5 00
John Lingafelt, for merchandise		68 25
Jos Robison, building lake oven for jail		17 50
Lloyd & Henry, for Pittsburg coal for jail		18 00
John Kemberling, pine for jail		6 00
Porter, Milliken & Co., coal for jail		9 00
Philip Wertz, chips for jail		4 00
L Goldman, clothing for prisoners		2 50
Jas Newberry, work done at jail		32 65
A F Osterloh, hardware for jail		23 97
D K Ramey, repairs for Jail and Court House		51 55
Geo Hooks, wood for jail		15 00
Sarah Stephens, washing for jail		45 75
L Goldman, clothing for prisoners		4 00
John Wertz, wood for jail		31 00
John McClure, costs on licenses		15 20
H D Martin, taking dead children to Poor House		2 00
Gell & Freed, Cutting Map and Lithograph		15 00
Chas Sleigh, patent Gas Burners for Court House		7 07
Mrs Boner, cleaning Court House		13 00
Jacob Snyder, alcohol for Court House		2 00
R Hazen, Gas Fixtures for Court House		5 50
Jas Cromwell, coal and hauling for Court House		33 80
H B Martin, coal and hauling for Court House		29 12
B B Rohrabacher, cleaning, &c., for Court House		13 68
Craig Stewart, coal for jail		162 75
H B Martin, hauling ashes from jail		2 25
Craig Stewart, coal for jail		28 75
Henry Blous, burying dead child		1 00
Jacob Good, Tax refunded		7 22
Sam'l Hoover, amount refunded		1 00
Jones & Holliday, tax refunded		12 90
Geo B Bowers, costs on licenses		5 45
John Gorley, costs on licenses		3 31
James Emil and Maria Gwin, damages		79 00
Geo Port, paying watchman of McKim		116 50
Physicians at Post Mortem		70 00
Bridges		906 88
Jas Funk, Esq., on account		300 00
S T Murray, auditing		62 48
C P Perry, Blank Books, &c.,		67 50
B L Hewit, fees		90 31
J A Wier, boarding and clothing for J Werts		122 75
A C McCartney, Auditor		12 62
Jos R Hewitt, Auditor		11 50
Sam'l Morrow, Auditor		12 62
Geo Port, in full of account as Sheriff		376 99
Jacob Barnhart, on account of Loan		200 00
John S Biddle, Loan and interest in part		2150 00
John Campbell, Interest on Loan		60 00
Dr Johnston, Interest on Loan		120 00
Michael Black, Interest on Loan		30 00
James Roller, principal and interest in full		513 33
Western Penitentiary		376 29
E Hammond, counsel to County Commissioners		40 00
Treasurer's commission on $32,625		489 38
Balance to square		2136 33
		$17,625 83

BLAIR COUNTY, SS:

We, the undersigned, Auditors of Blair county, in the State of Pennsylvania, do hereby certify, That we have examined the Drafts of the County Commissioners of the county aforesaid, and the vouchers for the same, up to and including the second day of January, eighteen hundred and sixty, and have settled and adjusted the accounts of JOHN LINGAFELT, Treasurer, with the said county of Blair, and we find a balance in the hands of the said Treasurer of Two Thousand One Hundred and Thirty-Six Dollars and Thirty-Three Cents.

In Testimony whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals this fourth day of January, A. D., 1860.

A. C. McCARTNEY, [L. S.]
JOS. R. HEWITT, [L. S.]
ALEX. M. LLOYD, [L. S.]

Attest:—E. H. GARDNER, Clerk.

In Testimony of the correctness of the foregoing account of JOHN LINGAFELT, Treasurer of Blair county, and of the said county with him, we hereunto set our hands, and have caused our seal of office to be affixed, at Hollidaysburg, this 4th day of January, A. D., 1860.

JNO. R. McFARLANE, [L. S.]
ENOS M. JONES, [L. S.]
GEORGE L. COWEN, [L. S.]

Attest:
H. A. CALDWELL, Clerk.

JOSEPH BALDRIGE, Prothonotary, in account with Blair County.

To Jury Fees received for the year ending December 31, 1859		$80 00
Balance		137 05
		$217 05
		CR.
By amount of—		
Fees for certifying election returns, recording same, &c.,		$25 75
Stationery furnished for Court and Dockets		46 37½
Fees in Criminal Prosecutions		86 05
Fees for receiving and entering Constables returns, filing oaths of office, and others		19 81½
Fees on Inquisitions		5 68½
Fees for certifying road and bridge views		6 31
Tax and fees on judgments in favor of Blair Co.		17 26½
		$217 05
By balance due Prothonotary		$137 05

JAMES FUNK, High Sheriff, in account with Blair Co.

1859. To amount—		DR.
Received in cash for fines and jury fees		118 00
" " " from County Treasurer		405 00
Balance to square		1083 00
		$1555 05
		CR.
By amount of—		
Fees for summoning Grand and Traverse Jurors		$100 50
Conveying 5 prisoners to Western Penitentiary		190 00
Wood and coal for use of jail		30 12½
Bedding and clothing for use of prisoners		17 65
Boarding prisoners		1117 28
Fees in Quarter Sessions		55 00
10 bushels of Lime		1 60
Knives and fork for jail		1 12½
Cash paid H Martin, hauling and plank for privy		3 00
" " Weaver for removing ashes from Court House and jail yards		3 00
Cash paid Telegraphing for James Snowden		4 00
" " W Fee for look on Jail door		1 00
" " Washing prisoners towels		12 00
" " Gas in Hall for use of prisoners		23 00
" " Advertising fall elections for 1859		7 75
" " Do. for Treasurer's settlement		4 00
" " Do. for Auditors' settlement		4 00
" " Do. for Jurors		4 00
" " Do. for Constables' returns		4 00
" " Do. for Delinquent Tax list		4 00
" " Do. for Auditors' notice		2 00
" " Do. for Treasurer's notice		2 00
" " Do. for Sheriff's sales		2 00
" " Do. for Dog Tax		2 00
" " Do. for Bridges		2 00
" " Do. for Election Proclamation		2 00
" " Do. for Exonerations		2 00
" " Do. for Constables' Bonds		2 00
" " Do. for Tavern Licenses		2 00
" " Do. for Vendue Licenses		2 00
" " Do. for Auctioneers' Licenses		2 00
" " Do. for Eating House Licenses		2 00
" " Do. for Retailers' Licenses		2 00
" " Do. for Dealers' Licenses		2 00
" " Do. for Theatrical Licenses		2 00
" " Do. for Pedlers' Licenses		2 00
" " Do. for Billiard Licenses		2 00
" " Do. for Bowling Alley Licenses		2 00
" " Do. for Ten Pin Alley Licenses		2 00
" " Do. for Circus Licenses		2 00
" " Do. for Menagerie Licenses		2 00
" " Do. for Concert Licenses		2 00
" " Do. for Exhibition Licenses		2 00
" " Do. for Show Licenses		2 00
" " Do. for Lottery Licenses		2 00
" " Do. for Ferry Licenses		2 00
" " Do. for Bridge Licenses		2 00
" " Do. for Turnpike Licenses		2 00
" " Do. for Canal Licenses		2 00
" " Do. for Railroad Licenses		2 00
" " Do. for Plank Road Licenses		2 00
" " Do. for Slaughter House Licenses		2 00
" " Do. for Tallow Chandler Licenses		2 00
" " Do. for Soap Boiler Licenses		2 00
" " Do. for Tanner Licenses		2 00
" " Do. for Distillery Licenses		2 00
" " Do. for Brewery Licenses		2 00
" " Do. for Glue Boiler Licenses		2 00
" " Do. for Oil Refinery Licenses		2 00
" " Do. for Gunpowder Licenses		2 00
" " Do. for Powder Magazine Licenses		2 00
" " Do. for Lucifer Match Licenses		2 00
" " Do. for Patent Medicine Licenses		2 00
" " Do. for Gift Enterprise Licenses		2 00
" " Do. for Peddling Goods Licenses		2 00
" " Do. for Hawking Goods Licenses		2 00
" " Do. for Exhibiting Goods Licenses		2 00
" " Do. for Auctioneering Goods Licenses		2 00
" " Do. for Selling Goods Licenses		2 00
" " Do. for Trading Goods Licenses		2 00
" " Do. for Buying Goods Licenses		2 00
" " Do

HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS.

It is a fact that, at some period, every member of the human family is subject to disease or disturbance of the bodily functions; but, with the aid of a good tonic and the exercise of plain common sense, they may be able so to regulate the system as to secure permanent health. In order to accomplish this desired object, the true course to pursue is certainly that which will produce a natural state of things at the least hazard of vital strength and life. For this purpose, Dr. Hostetter has introduced to this country a preparation bearing his name, which is not a new medicine, but one that has been tried for years, giving satisfaction to all who have used it. The Bitters operate powerfully upon the stomach, bowels, and liver, restoring them to a healthy and vigorous action, and thus, by the simple process of strengthening nature, enable the system to triumph over disease.

For the cure of Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Nausea, Flatulency, Loss of Appetite, or any Bilious Complaints, arising from a morbid inaction of the Stomach or Bowels, producing Cramps, Dysentery, Colic, Cholera Morbus, &c., these Bitters have no equal.

Diarrhœa, dysentery or flux, so generally contracted by new settlers, and caused principally by the change of water and diet, will be speedily regulated by a brief use of this preparation. Dyspepsia, a disease which is probably more prevalent, in all its various forms, than any other, and the cause of which may always be attributed to derangements of the digestive organs, can be cured without fail by using HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS, as per directions on the bottle. For this disease every physician will recommend Bitters of some kind; then why not use an article known to be infallible? All nations have their Bitters, as a preventive of disease and strengthener of the system in general; and among them all there is not to be found a more healthy people than the Germans, from whom this preparation emanated, based upon scientific experiments which have tended to prove the value of this great preparation in the scale of medical science.

FEVER AND AGUE.—This trying and provoking disease, which fixes its relentless grasp on the body of man, reducing him to a mere shadow in a short time, and rendering him physically and mantally useless, can be driven from the body by the use of HOSTETTER'S RENOWNED BITTERS. Further, none of the above-stated diseases can be contracted, even if exposed situations, if the Bitters are used as per directions. And as they neither create nausea nor offend the palate, and render unnecessary any change of diet or interruption of ordinary pursuits, but promote sound sleep and healthy digestion, the complaint is removed as speedily as is consistent with the production of a thorough and permanent cure.

For Persons in Advanced Years, who are suffering from an enfeebled constitution and infirm body, these Bitters are invaluable as a restorative of strength and vigor, and need only be tried to be appreciated. And to a mother while nursing these Bitters are indispensable, especially where the mother's nourishment is inadequate to the demands of the child, consequently her strength must yield, and here it is where a good tonic, such as Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, is needed to impart temporary strength and vigor to the system. Ladies should by all means try this remedy for all cases of debility, and, before so doing, should ask their physician, who, if he is acquainted with the virtue of the Bitters, will recommend their use in all cases of weakness.

CAUTION.—We caution the public against using any of the many imitations or counterfeits, but ask for HOSTETTER'S CELEBRATED STOMACH BITTERS, and see that each bottle has the words "Dr. J. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters" blown on the side of the bottle, and stamped on the metallic cap covering the cork, and observe that our autograph signature is on the label.

☞ Prepared and sold by HOSTETTER & SMITH, Pittsburgh, Pa., and sold by all druggists, grocers, and dealers generally throughout the United States, Canada, South America, and Germany.

☞ Sold by G W Kessler and A Roush, Altoona; G A Jacobs, J K Patton and W G Murray, Hollidaysburg; and S Berlin, Tyrone. [Aug 25, 1859-1y

PATENT KEROSENE OR CARBON OIL LAMPS!
Unrivaled in Beauty, Simplicity Safety or Economy.

Every person desiring to obtain the very best and cheapest portable light within their reach, should call at the store of the undersigned and examine these Lamps before purchasing elsewhere, and we pledge ourselves to demonstrate

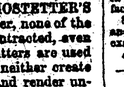
1st. That NO ACCIDENT can occur by explosion.
2d. That they emit no offensive odor while burning.
3d. That they are very easily trimmed.
4th. That they are easily regulated to give more or less light.
5th. That they burn entirely free from smoke.
6th. That the light is at least 50 per cent. cheaper than any other light now in common use.

These lamps are admirably adapted for the use of Students, Mechanics, Seamstresses, Factories, Halls, Churches, Stores, Hotels, and are highly recommended for family use.

The burner of the Carbon Oil Lamp can be attached to old side, hanging and table fluid and oil lamps, at a small expense, and will answer every purpose of a new lamp.

We guarantee perfect satisfaction in all cases.
Aug. 19, 1858-tf.] G. W. KESSLER.

LOGAN HOTEL.—THE UNDERSIGNED respectfully informs the citizens of Blair county and others, that he has opened up the LOGAN HOUSE, formerly kept by Sherift Rees, at the west end of Hollidaysburg, for the reception of strangers and travellers.—Everything connected with the house has been refitted in the new with the choicest furniture, &c., &c.



The house is large and commodious, and well calculated for convenience and comfort.

His TABLE will be furnished with the very best the market can afford, and no pains or trouble will be spared to render those who may choose to favor him with their patronage comfortable and happy during their stay with him.

His STABLING is ample, and an obliging and careful hostler will always be in attendance.

☞ The Williamsburg stage, which makes daily trips between this place and Williamsburg, stops at the Logan Hotel.

Dec. 17, 1857—tf.] JOHN KEIFFER.

NOTICE.—ALL PERSONS KNOWING themselves indebted to the firm of Runyan & Sanford, will please call and settle their accounts without delay, as ample time has been given. In thirty days hereafter, all accounts unsettled will be placed in the hands of a proper person for collection.

Altoona, July 28, 1859.-3t RUNYAN & SANFORD.

The undersigned feels grateful for the patronage heretofore bestowed on the firm and himself by the citizens of Altoona, and expects still to serve the public with all kinds of wood as usual. All persons failing to settle their accounts every thirty days, must not expect longer indulgence. My capital is limited, and long credits will soon place me where others are that have indulged so much credit to their ruin. MARTIN RUNYAN.

CAUTION.—ALL PERSONS ARE hereby notified not to purchase or sell any lager beer kegs with the stamp of the ALTOONA BREWERY thereon, as such kegs never have been and never will be sold from the Brewery. All kegs containing said stamp will be claimed and taken wherever found by the proprietors of the Brewery to whom they belong.

July 26th 1859-tf. WILHELM & BRO.

CONCENTRATED LYE, FOR MAKING Soft Soap, and Soap Powder for Washing, one equal to six of common Soap; Castile Soap, Palm Soap, Chemical Soap, etc., on hand and for sale at

June 10, 1858.-tf] A. ROUSH'S.

CREAM TARTER, SUPER-CARBONATE of Soda, Saleratus, Washing Soda, Durkee's Yeast Powder, in store and for sale at

June 9, '58-tf.] A. ROUSH'S Drug Store.

HAIR OILS, COLOGNES, POMADES, Shaving Cream, Toilet Soaps, &c. for sale by

Dec. G. W. KESSLER.

HARDWARE OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS just received and for sale by

Oct. 15-tf] J. B. HILEMAN.

HAIR, HAT, TOOTH, SHAVING, Paint, Sash and Varnish Brushes at

KESSLER'S.

WEST ALTOONA CABINET WARE ROOM.—The undersigned has lately made arrangements to do business on a more extensive scale than heretofore, and is now prepared to execute all

ORDERS FOR FURNITURE,
OF ANY KIND,
AT SHORTEST NOTICE.

His workmen are acknowledged to be capable of doing
The very best work in the line of Cabinet Making,
and all those who entrust him with their orders may rely upon receiving finished work.

He keeps a constant supply of Furniture on hand, to which he invites attention of those intending to

"GO TO HOUSE-KEEPING."

Call on him at at his room in Loudonville, near the Plank Road.

COFFINS MADE TO ORDER.

November 11, 1858. ISAAC CROMER.

FISK'S METALIC BURIAL CASES.—This is a new article in this section of the country, although extensively used in the East. They are a sure protection against

WATER AND VERMIN,

and possess many other advantages over the common coffins. The remains of the lamented CLAY and WEBSTER were encased in these cases.

For sale by ISAAC CROMER,
November 11, 1858. Altoona, Pa.

EIGHT REASONS WHY

EVERYBODY SHOULD GO TO

C. B. SINK'S STORE.

1. HE HAS A LARGE AND WELL selected assortment of Dry Goods, which are worth going to see.

2. He has an unequalled stock of *GROCERIES*, fresh and pure, which he will sell as reasonable as any merchant in the place.

3. He has *Hardware, Queensware, Stoneware, &c.*, of the most fashionable styles.

4. He has a large case of *Boots and Shoes* for Gents, Ladies, Misses and Children, embracing all sizes, qualities and prices.

5. He has a fine stock of *HATS* for Summer wear—just the pink of the fashion—all very cheap.

6. He keeps always on hand an assortment of *Ready-Made Clothing*, to suit the season.

7. He has on hand a large stock of *Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings*, which he will make up to order on short notice in a fashionable style, and at prices which must give satisfaction.

8. He don't ask people to come and buy—only to come and examine his stock, feeling confident that if they but examine they will buy without asking.

Altoona, May 5, 1859.-tf

GREAT OPENING
OF
SPRING AND SUMMER
GOODS.

J. B. HILEMAN HAS JUST RECEIVED and opened at his old stand, on Virginia st., a large and attractive assortment of seasonable goods, comprising all the novelties in

BAREGES, DUCALS, LAWNS, GINGHAMS, EMBROIDERIES, LACES, HOSIERY & GLOVES, and all varieties and textures of *LADIES DRESS GOODS*,

together with a full assortment of goods for gentlemen's wear, such as Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings.

Also a full stock of Hardware, Queensware and

GROCERIES,

and an assortment of

BOOTS, SHOES, GAITORS, &C.,

of all sizes and styles, which equal to any in the market, and will be sold at fair prices.

Having recently enlarged my store-room, I can now display my largely increased stock to better advantage and would respectfully invite everybody to call.

May 12, 1859.

NEW GROCERY FEED AND PROVISION STORE.

The subscriber would respectfully inform the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that he has opened a store of the above kind, near the corner of Adaline and Julia streets, East Altoona, where he will keep constantly on hand a full supply of everything in his line. His

GROCERIES

are all fresh and will be sold at prices as low as those of any other establishment in town. His stock of provisions, consisting of

Flour, Hams, Shoulders, Sides, &c.

will be sold a little cheaper than they can be bought any where else. His Flour is obtained from the best mills in the Western part of the State, and is warranted to be what it is represented.

All kinds of Feed for horses, cows and hogs, always on hand.

I intend to keep such an assortment that I shall at all times be able to supply my customers with whatever they may need, and I intend also to sell at prices which will make it a saving to those who patronize my store.

July 22, 1858-3m. HENRY BELL.

THE UNDERSIGNED WOULD respectfully inform his old customers and the public generally that he has just received a LARGE and HANDSOME assortment of

CLOTHS,
AND
Cassimeres,
VESTINGS,

which he is now and is prepared to the latest style & manner, as none but are employed, and he warrants to do. He has also a good assortment of READY MADE FURNISHING GOODS, such as SHIRTS, COLLARS, UNDERSHIRTS, Drawers, Pocket Handkerchiefs, Neck Ties, Stocks, Suspenders, Hosiery, &c., &c.; also a large assortment of READY-MADE CLOTHING, all of which he is determined to sell as cheap as they can be bought this side of Philadelphia. The public are respectfully invited to call and examine my stock, as I shall take pleasure in showing them. Doors open at all times from 6 A. M. until 9 P. M. Admittance free.

May 5' 1859-tf THOMAS ELWAY.

RED LION HOTEL,
ALTOONA, BLAIR COUNTY, PA.

This old established and popular HOTEL, located nearly opposite the place of stopping the passenger cars in Altoona, has passed into the hands of the present proprietor.—Long experience in the business warrants me in assuring the travelling public that no pains will be spared to render guests as comfortable as possible while sojourning under my roof.

The TABLE will constantly be supplied with the very best the market affords.

The BAR will be found to contain an excellent assortment of LIQUORS of all kinds, including that choice beverage *LAGER BEER*.

The STABLE is in charge of an excellent and experienced Ostler.

The proprietor hopes, by his long experience in the business and the facilities at his command, to make the Red Lion, in all respects, a first class Hotel. The business of the House will be under my own personal supervision. A liberal share of public patronage is kindly solicited.

JOHN W. SCHWEIGERT, *Proprietor.*

May 19, 1859.-tf

TO THE PUBLIC.—THE SUBSCRIBER would respectfully announce to the citizens of Altoona and vicinity, that he has opened a

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
TIN, SHEET-IRON WARE & STOVE STORE

on Helen street, between Annie and Julia streets, East Altoona, where he will keep constantly on hand a large assortment of everything in his line, which he will dispose of on reasonable terms.

ROOFING & SPOUTING

put up on short notice. He also manufactures LEADED PIPE Spouting, which is said to be much superior to galvanized sheet-iron or tin.

All kinds of job work promptly attended to. A share of public patronage is solicited. SAMUEL I. FRIES.

Oct. 27th, '58-tf.

AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL,
R. E. SELLERS' Imperial Cough Syrup,
Hoofland's German Bitters,
Bœrhave's Holland Bitters,
Sandford's Liver Invigorator,
Lindsey's Blood Searcher,
Clarke's Female Pills,
Duponce's Golden Pills,
Wright's, Ayer's, Wilson's and McLane's Pills,
Merchant's Gargling Oil,
Perry Davis' Pain Killer,
Matchett's Fourfold Liniment,
Mexican, Arabian, Nerve and Bone Liniment,

in store and for sale at

Sept. 2, 1858-tf] A. ROUSH'S Drug Store.

FLOUR.—THE BEST QUALITY OF FAMILY FLOUR for sale, Wholesale and Retail. Apply to

Dec. 11, 1856-tf. J. THOMPSON.
Masonic Temple.

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STEREOSCOPIC EMPORIUM.

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After May 1st, 1859, at 501 Broadway, two doors from the St. Nicholas Hotel.

The Stereoscope is the most instructive, interesting, entertaining, amusing and exciting of modern inventions.

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It presents to your view every part of the world, in all the relief, boldness, perspective, and sharpness of detail, as if you were on the spot.

Photographers are everywhere exploring Europe, Asia, Africa, America, in search of the grand and the beautiful, and the results of their skill are constantly enriching our stock.

We have an immense variety of paper Views of Scenes in Paris, London, England, Scotland, Ireland, Wales, France Belgium, Holland, Switzerland, Spain, The Rhine, Versailles St. Cloud, Fontainebleau, Tuileries, Italy, Turkey, Egypt Athens, the Holy Land, China, India, Crystal Palace, also Groups Historical, amusing, marriage scenes, breakfast scenes, picnics, statuary, &c., &c. An exquisite assortment of Illuminated Interiors of Palaces, Churches, and Cathedrals of France, Italy, &c., &c. The effect of these illuminated views is most remarkable.

Every gentleman of wealth and refined taste should have in his drawing-room some of our exquisite views on glass, with a revolving stereoscope, showing 12, 25, 50 or 100 scenes. Nothing can be more fascinating, and one can offer no greater treat to a friend fond of the picturesque and the beautiful.

Anthony's Instantaneous Stereoscopic Views are the latest Photographic wonder. They are taken in the fortieth part of a second, and everything no matter how rapidly it may be moving, is depicted as sharply and distinctly as if it had been perfectly at rest. This gives an additional value, for to the beauties of inanimate nature it adds the charm of life and motion. The process is a discovery of our own, and being unknown in Europe, we receive from London and Paris large orders for Anthony's Instantaneous Views of American life and scenery.

Among other things we have just published Stereoscopic Illustrations of the Scene of the Fulton Street Prayer Meetings, in which many hearts feel an interest. The particulars of this will be found in our catalogue.

Our Catalogue of subjects and prices will be forwarded to any address on receipt of a stamp.

Parties at a distance sending us $3, $5, $10, $15, $20, or $25, can have a good instrument and such pictures as they may request, sent by Express.

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TO PHOTOGRAPHERS.—First class Stereoscopic Negatives wanted.

Send by mail a print unmounted, with price of Negative
Jan. 12-4m [Cut this out for future reference.]

GRAND DISPLAY
AT THE
"MODEL"

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE THE pleasure of announcing to their friends and customers as well as the public at large that they are now receiving their

FALL STOCK OF GOODS,

which have been selected with care and bought at prices which will enable us to offer inducements to purchasers. Our stock of

LADIES' DRESS GOODS

Is large and varied, including all the newest styles of *Prints, Ginghams, Delaines, Poplins, Valencias, Plain and Printed Merinos, Black and Fancy Silks, &c. Also, Shawls, Cloaks and Cloth Dusters*, which have been brought very low and will be sold at a small advance.

FOR THE GENTS,

We have Black and Fancy Cassimeres, Satinets, Jeans, Tweeds, &c. Our stock of BLANKETS and DOMESTICS is large, consisting of Muslins, Tickings, Denhams, Drillings, Red Blankets and Comforts, &c.

We have also a fine stock of

GROCERIES, HARDWARE,
Queensware, Wooden & Willow Ware,
BOOTS & SHOES,

Zephy Knit Goods, Gloves and Hosiery, and Notions of all kinds. We wish to call especial attention to our large stock of

All-Wool, Wool Filling, List and Rag Carpets,

Bought at Auction, and which we can offer at prices that will defy competition.

GROCERIES for sale by Wholesale at City prices with freight only added.

All kinds of Country Produce taken at the highest market price. We respectfully invite all persons in want of cheap and good GOODS, to call and be convinced that we have a Model Stock at Model Prices.

J. & J. LOWTHER.

Altoona, Oct. 13, '59.

JUST OPENED
A STOCK OF
Entirely New Goods.
R. A. O. KERR

WOULD INFORM THE GOOD people of Altoona, the surrounding country, and the "rest of mankind," that he has just returned from the city with a large stock of NEW GOODS, which he offers at reasonable prices, at the stand formerly occupied by R. Kerr, and recently by W. O'Neal, on Main street. His stock is the only one in town which is

ENTIRELY NEW.

and he flatters himself that he has something to please the eye of of every lady, and suit the wants of every gentleman. He deems it unnecessary to enumerate all the articles on the shelves, (as to do so would require a whole newspaper,) but would say that he has everything in the line of

LADIES' DRESS GOODS

which this meridian calls for, and all just suited to the season, together with a well selected assortment of House Furnishing Goods, such as Carpets & Window Blinds, Shades, &c., which will commend themselves.

FOR GENTLEMEN,

he has a great variety—from which they can not fail to make a satisfactory selection. He has also a tip-top assortment of GROCERIES, as good, fresh and cheap as can be had this side of the place of growing or manufacture. Also, HARDWARE, QUEENSWARE, and everything necessary to complete a store in a thriving town like Altoona.

All he asks is that the people call and examine his stock, which he will at all times take pleasure in showing, and he feels confident that he can send them away rejoicing, if not in the purchase of just such an article as they wanted, at the remembrance of having looked upon the handsomest stock of Goods ever exhibited in the town.

Altoona, Oct. 20, 1859.

LOOK OUT FOR YOUR HEAD! A poet gives the following advice to young men on going to parties:

In going to parties, just mind what your at;
Beware of your head and take care of your HAT;
Least you find that a favorite son of your mother,
Has an ache in the one and a brick in the other.

Speaking about hats and heads—the subscriber would respectfully announce that he has just returned from the city with a large and well selected stock of Men and Boys'

HATS AND CAPS, OF ALL STYLES,

FOR FALL AND WINTER,

of every color and shape. Also, a good assortment of

LADIES AND MISSES FURS,

of different varieties, all of which will be sold CHEAP FOR CASH.

Persons in want of anything in the above line, will please give me a call before purchasing elsewhere, as I am determined to sell at the very lowest possible prices.

Store on Virginia street, opposite the Lutheran church.

Altoona, April 28, 1859-tf. JESSE SMITH.

Stoves, Tin & Sheet Iron Ware,
SPOUTING, &C.

JAS. W. RIGG WOULD RESPECTfully inform the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that he keeps constantly on hand a large assortment of *Cooking, Parlor, Office and Shop Stoves*, of all styles and sizes, to suit the wants of all, which he will sell at low prices, on reasonable terms.

He also keeps on hand a large stock of *Tin and Sheet-Iron Ware*, consisting of all articles for culinary purposes—*Coal Buckets, Stove Pipe, &c.*

He has also purchased the right of sale in Blair county, of R. V. JONES'

IMPROVED SAUSAGE STUFFER,

an invention which needs only to be seen to be appreciated and should be possessed by every farmer, butcher or those requiring such a machine.

☞ Particular attention paid to putting up SPOUTING, either in town or country. Spouting painted and put up on the most reasonable terms. [april 14, 1859-1y

CAMPHENE, BURNING FLUID, Linseed Oil, Spirits of Turpentine, White Lead and Alcohol, for sale cheap at

A. ROUSH'S.

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This is, confessedly, the most complete work on Agriculture ever published, and in order to give it a wider circulation the publishers have resolved to reduce the price to

FIVE DOLLARS FOR THE TWO VOLUMES!!

When sent by mail (post-paid) to California and Oregon the price will be $7. To every other part of the Union, and to Canada (post-paid), $6. ☞ *This work is not the Old "Book of the Farm."*

Remittances for any of the above publications should always be addressed, post-paid, to the Publishers,

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LITERARY EMPORIUM,
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N. B.—We are now Wholesale and Retail Agent in this county, for ROHN'S CELEBRATED SALVE. It does positively cure all sores to which it is applied. Try it.

[7-tf.] H. FETTINGER.

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!
At McCormicks Store,

Just arrived and are now being offered for sale, an extensive assortment of goods of all the different styles and qualities, which the Philadelphia market affords, in the way of dress goods for Ladies together with all the more heavy Cotton and Woolen goods for Gentlemen and Boys wear, also a full stock of

READY MADE CLOTHING

for men and Boys, of the best material and latest Styles, in the way of business dress and over coats, with pants and vests to match. Also all the different varieties of goods, such as

Hardware,
Queensware,
Cedarware,
Tinware,
Stoneware, &c.,

GROCERIES,

Family Syrups, Sugar Brown an White, Teas, &c., &c., with all the variety of spices necessary to make up a full assortment.

Men's fine and coarse Boots and Bootees,
Ladies " " " with & without heels,

in all the different material, with a very pretty assortment of Bonnets.

ALSO MEN AND BOYS LEDGER HATS AND CAPS, and all other articles usually kept in country stores, all of which will be sold as low as in any other house in town for cash, or exchanged for any article of produce, which can be consumed here or exchanged in the East for others.

Altoona, Oct. 27th, '59.

EXCHANGE HOTEL.—THE SUBSCRIBER would respectfully inform the public that he has recently refitted the above Hotel, and is now prepared to accommodate his friends and patrons in a comfortable manner, and he will spare no pains in making it an agreeable home for all sojourners. His Table will always be luxuriously supplied from the markets of the country and cities, and his Bar filled with liquors of choice brands. His charges are as reasonable as those of any other Hotel in the place, and he feels satisfied they can not be complained of by those who favor him with their custom. Expecting to receive a share of public patronage, and fully intending to deserve it, he throws open his house to the public and invites a trial.

I have just received a stock of No. 1 French Brandy, for medicinal purposes.

Also a large stock of excellent Wines, for medicinal purposes, together with a lot of the best old Rye Whiskey to be found in the country.

Altoona, May 27, 1859.-1y JOHN BOWMAN.

THE GREAT QUESTION WHICH now agitates the mind of every person is, where can I get the best article for my money? In regard to other matters, the subscriber would not attempt to direct, but if you want anything in the line of

BOOTS OR SHOES

he invites an examination of his stock and work.

He keeps constantly on hand an assortment of Boots, Shoes, Gaiters, Slippers, &c., which he offers at fair prices.

He will give special attention to custom work, all of which will be warranted to give satisfaction. None but the best workmen are employed.

Remember my shop is on Virginia street, immediately opposite Kessler's Drug Store.

September 3, '57-tf] JOHN H. ROBERTS.

LIQUORS.—A LARGE AMOUNT of well selected LIQUORS has been received at the "LOGAN HOUSE," Hollidaysburg, which will be sold at the lowest cash prices, wholesale or retail. The man who wants has only to call. [Dec. 17, tf.

SOLUTION OF CITRATE OF MAGNESIA.—A cooling Cathartic, mild in its operation and agreeable to the taste, prepared and for sale by

June 24, 1858.-tf A. ROUSH, *Druggist.*

MARIA L. DE PEYSTER MEMORIAL SCHOOL.—That institution, which is located in Altoona, Blair County, Penn'a, will be opened on the 1st MONDAY in MAY. It is intended as a permanent School, and will connect with it a Male & Female Department. In the Male department, young men will be instructed with a view to their entering the advanced classes of our best Colleges; or, if desired, their education completed. In the Female department, instruction will be given in any, or all of the different branches, either *solid* or *ornamental*, taught in our best Female Seminaries.

The year will be divided into two Sessions of five months each—the Summer Session to commence on the 1st Monday of May, ending on the last Wednesday of September—the Winter Session to commence on the 1st Monday in November, ending on the last Wednesday of March. The Sessions will be divided into two quarters of eleven weeks each. Terms, per quarter, as follows—viz.:

SOLID BRANCHES.

Primary (including Reading, Writing, Orthography, Arithmetic, Grammar, and Geography, &c.)	$4,00
Advanced (including the Natural Sciences, Mathematics, Mental and Moral Philosophy, Logic, the Languages and Composition &c.)	$5,00

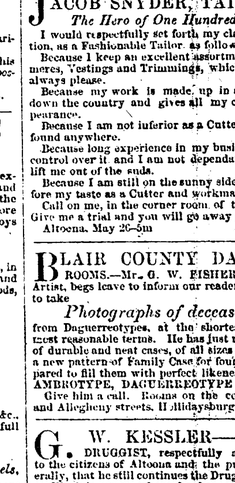
EXTRA, OR ORNAMENTAL BRANCHES.

Music (Including use of instrument)	$10,00
Drawing,	$3,00
Painting (In water Colors)	3,00
Needle work,	2,00

Instructions in vocal music gratis. One half the above charges, to be paid invariably in advance.

R. W. OLIVER, *Superintendent Male Dep't.*
A. B. CLARK, " *Female* "
Mr. —— *Principal of Male* "
Miss C. M. CLARK, " *Female* "

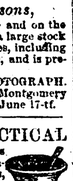
March 10, 1859.-tf



HOLLIDAYSBURG MARBLE WORKS
JOHN McKEAGE, successor to A. W. Kinney,
MANUFACTURER OF all kinds of
PLAIN AND ORNAMENTAL MARBLE WORK,
at the lowest possible prices. All work finished at this establishment warranted to give satisfaction.
Hollidaysburg, Dec. 30, 1858-tf.

NEW GROCERY AND LIQUOR STORE.—The undersigned would beg leave to announce to the citizens of Blair county and vicinity that he has opened his new Store on *Virginia street, three doors below the Superintendent's Office*, where he has just received from the East and West a large assortment of

Foreign and Domestic Liquors,



consisting as follows:

French Otard Brandy, Cognac Brandy, Peach Brandy, Cherry Brandy, Old Burgundy Wine, Old Port Wine, Jamaica Rum, Holland Gins Old Rye Whiskey, Monongahela Whiskey, and Rhine Wine,

which he has himself imported. Retailers of Liquors and Farmers will find it to their advantage to buy of him, as he will sell at CITY PRICES.

He will also keep constantly on hand an assortment of

GROCERIES,

Such as Flour, Bacon, Salt, Fish, Tobacco, Segars, Syrup, Sugar, Coffee, &c., &c.,

All of which will be sold cheap for cash or Country Produce.

Our friend and the public generally are respectfully invited to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere.

LOUIS PLACK.

Altoona, May 26, 1859.-tf

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